

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION recognizing the 150th anniversary of
the Omega Christian Church.

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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1 *A SENATE RESOLUTION recognizing the 150th anniversary of*
2 *the Omega Christian Church.*

3 *Whereas, The Omega Christian Church marked its historical*
4 *beginnings in 1863, during the midst of the Civil War;*

5 *Whereas, The Omega area, previously known as Bethany, in this time*
6 *of struggle decided there was a need for a church in their community;*

7 *Whereas, The church was constructed with timber from the*
8 *surrounding area under the direction of Joseph Lacy, with Dr. Silas*
9 *Blount preaching the dedication service in November 1863;*

10 *Whereas, The town began to grow around the Omega Christian*
11 *Church thereafter with a sawmill, general store, resident doctor,*
12 *blacksmith, and post office;*

13 *Whereas, The church moved and expanded in 1926 northeast of the*
14 *old location. During the expansion, the church used the 1863 structure*
15 *and is now the oldest building in White River Township; and*

16 *Whereas, Through the church's further expansions in 1947, and*
17 *improvements since, the Omega Christian Church has maintained its*
18 *same purpose, to serve God and the community. We wish them*
19 *continued success over the next 150 years: Therefore,*

20 *Be it resolved by the Senate*
21 *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

22 SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate recognizes the 150th
23 anniversary of the Omega Christian Church.



1 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is directed to transmit a
2 copy of this Resolution to the Omega Christian Church.

